PROGRAM UPDATE re: USE of ARPA GRANT FUNDS TOWARD LOCAL SHARE OF COST FOR THE BODY WORN and DASHBOARD CAMERA FUND GRANT per RSA: 105-D-3

In reviewing revised guidance from the US Department of Treasury, NH Dept. of Safety (DOS) would like to share that APRA funds (to/for) local agencies that are considered “revenue recovery” (sometimes referred to as “lost revenue”), may be used as part of the program required 50% of the local share of the costs in accordance Per Saf-C 9704.02 Allowable Costs for:

 50% of the cost, up to a maximum of $50,000 per entity, for the following expenses:

(1) Purchase body-worn or dashboard cameras.

(2) Ongoing software maintenance expenses of body-worn or dashboard cameras; or

(3) Costs related to the maintenance and storage of data recorded by body-worn and dashboard cameras.

(b) The locally funded portion for these purchases shall be local funds and not other grant funds.

All other components of Saf-C 9700 shall continue to apply in accordance with adopted

Administrative Rule and Law.

NOTE: DOS will accept use of these funds as match for the State Body Camera Grant program, however, it is the responsibility of each applicant to determine whether these funds are eligible to be used in this manner. Our acceptance of these funds as match is not an official determination of federal eligibility of/for such.